#### **LEGAL NOTICE**

### STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY**, **JANUARY4**, **2005**, upon the application of **WINCHESTER PRODUCTION COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Cotton Valley Zone**, **Reservoir A and the Hosston Formation**, **Reservoir A**, in the Holly Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To create one (1) drilling and production unit for the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, such unit being shown on the plat submitted with the application.
- 2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit in accordance with Section 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract to share in the unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
- 3. To designate Winchester Production Company as the unit operator for the proposed CV RA SUDD and their proposed Pullen 14 No. 1 Well as the unit well at an exceptional location.
- 4. To permit the applicant to drill four (4) alternate unit wells for the proposed CV RA SUDD, at exceptional locations and to find that the alternate unit wells are needed to drain a portion of the unit that cannot be drained by any other well located therein.
- 5. To extend the provisions of the 88-E Series of Office of Conservation Orders and other applicable statewide orders to the unit being proposed herein.
- 6. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize their Pullen 14 No. 2 Well as a substitute unit well for the HOSS RA SU2, such unit and well being shown on the plat submitted with the application, in exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 88-C Series of Orders.
- 7. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize four (4) alternate unit wells for the HOSS RA SU2, in exception to the spacing provisions of the 88-D Series of Office of Conservation Orders, such wells shown on the plat submitted with the application.
- 8. To find that the alternate unit wells are needed on the HOSS RA SU2 to assist in draining a portion of the unit that cannot be efficiently and effectively drained by any other well located with the unit.
- 9. To permit the unit operator to produce the assigned unit allowable from the unit well, the alternate unit wells or from a combination of all wells at its discretion.
- 10. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 88-E, effective February 1, 1975 and the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 88-D, effective February 1, 1975.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

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# HOLLY FIELD 05-8 and 05-9

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

#### **BY ORDER OF:**

## JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 11/10/04;11/13/04 S dnp

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.